

PORTLAND HARBOUR AUTHORITY LIMITED



Local Notice to Mariners

No 07/2018(T)

TOWING TRIALS

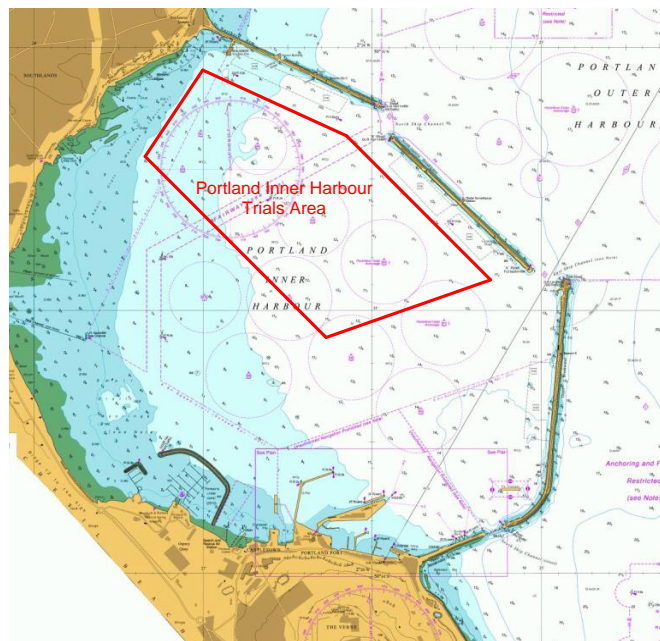
Trial Dates	30 th April 2018 – 11 th May 2018
Trial Times	Various Times Day & Night
Trial Location	Portland Inner Harbour Portland Outer Harbour and Weymouth Bay
Trials Vessels	ARCIMS 5 and BINCLEAVES RIB

ATLAS ELEKTRONIK UK (AEUK) will be conducting Towing Trials from 30th April 2018 to 11th May 2018. The Towing Vessel ARCIMS 5 will be accompanied at all times by the Trials Support Vessel BINCLEAVES RIB. Both vessels will display the appropriate day shapes, to indicate Restricted in Ability to Manoeuvre and towing of underwater equipment.

VHF channel 68 will be the working channel. BINCLEAVES RIB will transmit “SECURITE” warnings on Channels 74 & 16 when trials are underway.

On the evening of Tuesday 1st May 2018 a towing exercise will be conducted after dark in the Inner Harbour. ARCIMS 5 will be supported BINCLEAVES RIB, NEWTONS RIB and the HARBOUR MASTERS RIB. All activity will be complete by 23:59. A “SECURITE” broadcast will be made every 15 minutes for the duration of the exercise.

Mariners are requested to give both vessels a wide berth during operations.



*This Notice is issued under the powers vested by the Portland Harbour
Revision Order 1997.*

Captain M Shipley
General Manager(Marine)
24th April 2018